

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

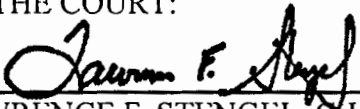
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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | : | CRIMINAL NO. |
| | : | 14-541 |
| vs. | : | |
| | : | CIVIL NO. |
| ERIC C. OPITZ | : | 18-1505 |
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ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of July, 2018, upon consideration of the defendant's pro
se motion to vacate, set aside, or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (Doc. No.
67), the government's response in opposition (Doc. No. 70), and defendant's counseled
reply (Doc. No. 71) **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the motion is **DENIED** in its
entirety without an evidentiary hearing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a certificate of appealability shall not issue
under 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2).

BY THE COURT:



LAWRENCE F. STENGEL, C.J.